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HEARING in Lancashire what vast improvements had been made in town, and how beautifully the streets of it were paved, and the houses adorned, I could not help, old as I was, having the curiosity to see so fine a sight, and therefore took a place in one stage coach for London, where I arrived on Wednesday last; but being fatigued with so long a journey, I resolved to rest myself at my inn in Fleet street all Thursday, and to begin my view next day. Accordingly on Friday morning I set out from my inn, to walk to, or as Westminster Abbey. I spread the footpath in the streets much better and safer for my feet than they were when in town last, and was much pleased with the improvement; but as I was crossing the way in the Strand, and not dreaming of any danger, I very narrowly escaped being rode over by some coaches, which came upon me in full gallop, as if riding a race. However, with some difficulty, I escaped the danger, and resolved to take care how I crossed the streets again. I then proceeded in my walk, and took notice, as I went along, what large bowles and fine shops all sorts of tradesmen now had, and concluded from thence that trade must be in a very flourishing condition. At Charing Cross some men were mending the pavement with new stones, and I had the curiosity to ask them from whence the stones were brought; and they told me from Scotland; from whence I concluded things went well with Scotland, and that Scotch stones were better than English. At length I arrived at a beautiful building that leads to St. James's park, and inquired which house that was, and was informed it was the Horse Guards. I fancied it to be some kind of fort, and from the elegance of the structure I concluded that our army was in a very flourishing condition. From thence I proceeded my course until I came to Westminster Abbey, opposite to which I observed a new stately stone building, and enquired what house that was; and was informed it was built for the better convenience of our members going to the Parliament House; from whence I concluded that the Parliament was in a very flourishing condition, and that the *old ways* to the Parliament House were not good enough for the *new ways* to it. After making a short stop in this place, I thought I had disburdened enough for one day, and therefore turned homewards again. But when I came into Fleet street, two chairmen, carrying a Lady in a hurry, jostled me against one, and threw me down; when a well dressed Gentleman in a laced waistcoat, immediately stepped to me, and helped me up. For which I was very thankful to him, and concluded that fine Gentlemen in London were very obliging; but perceiving in my pocket for my handkerchief, to wipe off some dirt on my coat, it was gone. This made me feel in my other pockets, when, to my surprize, my watch was gone too; and (what vexed me most) my gold watch, which was my father's, and had been in the family above a hundred years, was gone also. I turned about directly to look for the fine Gentleman, and saw him at a full distance off running apace; from whence I concluded that my fine Gentleman was no better than a thief, and had got my watch and purse. Upon this I hastened home to my inn as fast as I could, and then began to reflect that there was no judging by appearances, and that I might be as much mistaken in concluding that fine bowles and shops proved the great wealth and richest of the shopkeepers, or that fine ways to the Parliament House gave a proof of fine ways in it, as I was in taking the street thief for a fine Gentleman because of his dress. In short, I have seen enough of past five days in town, and shall make all the haste I can back into Lancashire.

OLD SQUARETOES.

GREAT BRITAIN *and* AMERICA *how affected by the present dispute.*

IT seems to be a prevailing opinion in Great Britain that the Parliament have a right to tax the Americans, and that unless they have such a right America would be independent of Great Britain; and it seems to be a prevailing opinion in America that by taxing them without their consent, and where they are not and cannot be represented, you deprive them of the rights of Englishmen, nay, in time, with the loss of the constitution, you will deprive them of liberty and property altogether.

This is a very interesting subject, the consequences in each case very important, though neither so alarming nor so dangerous to Britain as to America.

With regard to Great Britain, if it should not prove so as is claimed, the consequence can only be this, that then no tax can be laid, or revenue raised, on the Americans, inconsistent with their natural rights as men, and with their civil and constitutional liberties as Britons; but the dependency of the Americans upon Great Britain will be as full, and firm, as ever. But, with regard to America, the mischief is beyond all expression, if the contrary should take place. If they are not to raise their own taxes, all their Assemblies become useless in a moment, all their respective legislatures are annihilated at a stroke. An act passed by persons, most of whom probably never saw nor cared much for America, may destroy all the acts they ever passed, may lay every burthen upon them under which they are not expected immediately to sink; and all the civil and religious liberties for which their forefathers went into this wilderness, and, under the smiles of heaven, turned it into a garden, of immense consequence to the mother country, will, or may, be at an end at once. Probably the present Parliament, or generation, would never carry matters to this length; but who knows what may be done in the next? The first settlers of the American wilds never expected that would come to pass which we have seen already. They never expected it would be drawn into question whether they themselves should give and grant their own money where they are legally represented, or whether the Parliament of Great Britain should give and grant their money where they are not represented. Surely this proposition can never be admitted to be just, without admitting at the same time that the Americans are upon a level with the meanest slaves; a situation into which, I should think, Englishmen would disdain to reduce their fellow subjects.

PARIS. *Sept.* 11.

MADAME Louise, his Most Christian Majesty's daughter, who has been for some time in a convent of the Carmelites at St. Denis, took the white veil last Monday. The Dauphiness attended the ceremony. The Pope's Nuncio had an extraordinary character, to represent the Pope upon this occasion. His Most Christian Majesty, on that account, has made the Nuncio a present of his picture richly set with diamonds.

LONDON, *August* 9.

THIS day their Majesties came from Richmond to St. James's, when the Prince of Hesse Darmstadt, with his family, appeared at Court, and received particular marks of their Majesties attention. Her Majesty made the young Princess a present of a rich diamond and pearl necklace, in a manner no less noble and generous than genteel. After shewing the jewels to the Princess, her Majesty asked if she might put them about her Highness's neck; which honour being politely accepted, after adjusting the collar her Majesty declared they became her much, and hoped she would wear them as a token of her remembrance and regard. The Prince, with his family, who appeared incognito, took leave of their Majesties, and a few days after set out for Paris.

A quarrel happened between a man and his wife in Bermondsey street, Southwark, when the woman snatched up a red hot poker and run it in the man's eye; the husband, in his agony, threw a knife at the wife, and killed her on the spot. The jury brought in their verdict accidental death.

August 17. An odd circumstance has lately occurred to an officer of the customs at Portsmouth, by the seizure of a large cake, which he took to be sweetmeats; but on opening it, he found it to be human bones. The ridicule which this has brought upon him is the circumstance alluded to; for now the boys follow him in the streets, crying, *Dandy, who stewed the gentlemen?*

Some officers of the army are highly displeased with the late orders from the War Office for mentioning the buttons on their regimental clothes. "Damn me," says a young Ensign, at St. James's coffee-house, the other day, "what a degradation is this! Why it was but this day, as I was walking the Temple, a ticket porter came up to me and insolently accosted me with, Brother what number?"

The following is sent us for a real fact. A governess teaching her young hopeful pupil to spell, asked him, Miss Lucy Sufan, you spell as bad as the Duke; why, child, you'll see yourself one of these days the ridicule of every newspaper. Shall I (replied the young Lady) I vow I will never learn to read, and then I shan't see it; and away she ran as fast as she could.

A ship of a very ancient construction was discovered and weighed up near Newcastle, the keel of which is upwards of 50 feet; her planks overlap one another, and she appears to be Spanish built, and is supposed to be one of the ships sunk at the Spanish invasion.

August 23. On the 22d of June the Gentlemen of the House of Burgesses joined the body of merchants of the province of Virginia in a more firm association than has yet been entered into by any respectable body of men in any of the colonies, and they have pledged themselves to support their non importation agreement at the hazard of their lives and fortunes. It was signed by 168 of the first people in the colony.

August 24. A letter signed Junius appeared this day in the Publick Advertiser, and in Lloyd's Evening Post. It is addressed to Lord North, and contains a charge of rewarding Colonel Luttrell at the risk of the national safety. It is written with the usual spirit of the admired author, but of the truth or falsity of its contents we can say nothing.

August 26. In the garden of Mr. Hardcastle, of Stepney, have been dug up 2 large iron pot full of silver common-wealth money, which it is thought will touch a large sum.

August 31. The Society of Arts have voted a silver medal to Mr. Jaffery, a farmer in the Isle of Thanet, for his account of the culture of the new kind of winter's food for cattle, called the turnip rooted cabbage. This plant kept growing to the end of the spring. His produce from it, including both herb and root, was in proportion to 45 tuns an acre. This is the proper time of sowing the seed in order to be planted out early in the spring, and the spring following these plants will be at their full growth.

Sept. 18. Friday the Lord Mayor sent cards to all the Aldermen and Common Councilmen of this city, with his compliments, desiring the favour of their company to dine with him next Thursday at the Mansion House. At the bottom of every card was put the following: "N. B. Sir, please to return an answer by the bearer, by which method his Lordship will know the exact number that will dine with him, and the cooks will be better able to judge of what quantity of provisions, &c. they must provide." It is said most of them returned answers that they would wait on his Lordship.

Sept. 19. We learn from Hexham that on Wednesday last they had some showers of rain, attended with thunder and lightning; and that day, as Mr. Trotter, of Readsmouth, was sitting at table after dinner, a flash of lightning broke in at the window, which killed him and a greyhound which lay at his feet. His daughter, and a maid servant, were both considerably hurt, but it is hoped they will recover.

Extract of a letter from Paris, *Sept* 20.

"The Parliament have issued an arret concerning what passed in the Bed of Justice on the 3d, wherein it is said "that the many acts of arbitrary power exercised against both the spirit and the letter of the constitution of the French monarchy, and indeed against the solemn vow of the King, leave no room to doubt of a premeditated project to change the form of government; but that the Parliament, inviolably attached to the laws, will still, without ceasing, make it their aim to carry truth to the throne, and continue more and more to give proof of their fidelity, and their love of an orderly, firm, and steady conduct, notwithstanding all the endeavours that have been used to throw them into trouble and confusion, by the repeated acts of rigour exercised against them.

"The further deliberation upon what passed in the late Bed of Justice is postponed to the 3d of December next, when all the members will be summoned to attend."

To our correspondent, who is desirous of knowing the occasion of the present war between the Russians and the Turks, we must answer as the soldier did Baboue in Voltaire's *World as it goes*. Baboue addressed himself to a soldier in the Persian army, and asked him what was the cause of the war in which he was engaged. "The soldier made answer that, for his part, he knew nothing of the matter; but if he (Baboue) was curious to learn the cause, he might apply to his Captain. Baboue made himself acquainted with the Captain, and asked him the same question. How could thou think that I should know? said the Captain. My business is to fight and make my fortune, or to fall in the field by a glorious death. Baboue, struck with astonishment at the ignorance of men who were risking one another's throats, got himself introduced to the commander in chief, who, with some difficulty, told him that he believed it might take its rise at first from a quarrel between an eunuch belonging to one of the concubines of the great King of Persia and the clerk of a factory belonging to the great King of India. The dispute was about a citron which amounted exactly to the thirtieth part of a derick. Our first minister, and the first minister of the enemy, maintained the rights of their respective sovereigns with becoming dignity; the dispute grew warm; both parties sent into the field armies of a million of soldiers, that are annually to be recruited with 3 or 400,000 men. Mankind burning of towns, ruin, and devastation, are daily multiplied, the whole country loiters, and their mutual animosity still exists."

The first ministers of the contending monarchs imagined, that they have nothing in view but the honour of their sovereign, and every precaution is attended with the destruction of a town or the dismission of a province. Nothing can be a truer picture of the present war.

OXFORD, *August* 23. Early on Tuesday morning last died, aged 46, Mr. Stephen Law, of this city, taylor, who about a year ago had been obliged to decline business, under circumstances, and which place, which was extremely profitable, he was put in by the dissolute apprehension of his creditors, from the bankruptcy of three or four of his customers only, upon the which, with great cruelty refused to accept the just composition he all would afford. Under these circumstances the Faculty could administer no relief, and the poor man absolutely died of a broken heart. He was universally allowed to be a very honest, though unfortunate, man.

We remember to have met with the anecdote of the great Dr. Radcliff, which does honour to his memory. Being called in by a person of great credit in the city, who in former years had used, yet having under an unfortunate circumstance of health, the Doctor discovered what the patient feared to conceal, that of a friendly clinches hugged down stairs and left the following memorandum:

To Mist. —— *&c.*

Pay the bearer one thousand pounds, and place it to the account of J. Radcliffe.

This prescription was ordered to be immediately signed, and the patient was enabled to attend the Doctor at a levee, where his case should be further considered. The sudden pursuit to effect so that the sick man instantly left his bed, and in a few hours returned home perfectly recovered.

CHESTER, *August* 22. One day last week a schoolmaster in this city, receiving intelligence that some of his scholars were playing truant, suspected two others as guilty of them, who lived "bout robbing a Gentleman's garden of some fruit, near the city walls; whereupon the latter acquainted the owner of it, upon which directly, with his man, went with them to the spot where they were. But one of the scholars, perceiving them coming, nimbly mounted the walls, and said, *I'll take my bible oath I'm not on the inside of the garden*, and then ran off. The other, who was in a wood, and could not readily make his escape, cried out, in a most doleful tone, *I have, Gentlemen, you will not hurt me.* The Gentleman was so pleased at the just application of their question that he not only forgave them their trespasses against him, but bestowed a sixpence each, which they owned would have procured from their master for paying truant.

BOSTON, *Nov.* 1.

IN our last we mentioned that at the Superiour Court held here on Wednesday began the trial of Captain Thomas Preston, of the 29th regiment, who was indicted by the grand jury, for several indictments, for the murder of Mr. Gray, Maverick, and others, on the 5th of March last. The examination of evidences, and the pleas, were continued from Wednesday, each day (Sunday excepted) until Monday, when the Hon. Judges summed up the evidences, and gave the charge to the jury. The jury went out about five o'clock, and it is said agreed by eight o'clock. The court was adjourned until the next morning at eight o'clock, at which time they brought in their verdict, NOT GUILTY, and Captain Preston was dismissed.

On Thursday last the Hon. House of Representatives chose Dr. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN agent for the House; and yesterday they made choice of Dr. LEE, of London, as agent in case of the death or absence of Dr. FRANKLIN.

Extract of a letter from London, *Sept.* 6.

"Mr. Hutchinson is Governour. The province, I am sure, ought to be very thankful for the having one born among themselves for their Governour, one who so well knows their conditions; and who has all his lifetime shown himself a friend to it. This government could have done nothing that ought to be more acceptable to the colony, or that will put them more evidently in the wrong if they do not agree with him. After that it will be manifest that their quarrel is not against any particular person, but against the having any Governour at all."

Extract of another letter from London, *of the same date.*

"We begin, I think, to be a little more settled; and, if no new accident happens, I do not doubt but the Ministry will set out next session with a much greater majority, and that will soon bring us into better order."

It is said in London that the demand of goods for New York is so great, and the manufacturers so engaged to supply them, that if orders should arrive from thence the manufacturers could not fulfil them until next spring.

WILLIAMSBURG, *Nov.* 29.

THE Regulators of North Carolina having threatened, we hear, to pay the Aſſembly a viſit at Newbern, in order to force them to enact what laws ſuit their notions of government, his Excellency Governour Tryon has ordered the militia of ſeveral counties to repair to that place, and to remain there during the ſeſſion.

The Fairfield, Hamilton, from London, is arrived at Norfolk, in which came paſſengers Dr. JAMES BLAIR, and Dr. WALTER JONES, of this city.

[*Marriages.*] CHARLES CARTER, Eſq; of Corotoman, to Miſs NANCY MOORE, ſecond daughter of Colonel Bernard Moore.

WILLIAM NELSON, jun. Eſq; clerk of Caroline, to Miſs LUCY CHISWELL.

FRIDAY, *Nov.* 30. This being St. Andrew's day, which is appointed by the charter of this city for the election of a Mayor, JOHN RANDOLPH, Eſq; his Majeſty's Attorney General, was choſen into that office for the enſuing year. At the ſame time Mr. HALDENBY DIXON was elected one of the Common Council.

This day Jeſſe Townſend, from Auguſta county, for murder, was executed at the gallows near this city, purſuant to his ſentence. He ſeemed very penitent, but denied his having committed the crime for which he ſuffered.

Advertiſements.

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Leland's Dionyſius. Miller's Gardeners Calendar. Medical Dictionary. Maxims of Converſation. Travels into Italy. Ruffhead's Life of Pope. Oliver on Herſes. Review of Muſkets. Religious Philoſopher. Reimarus's Diſſertations. Reynold of Chriſtianity's Text. Sheridan on Education. Monteſquieu's Spirit of Laws. Smith on Diſtilling. Ulloa's Voyages. M'Laurin's Account of Sir Iſaac Newton's Philoſophical Diſcoveries. M'Laurin's Algebra, and Fluxions. Melmoth's Tranſlation of Cicero's Letters. Potter's Antiquities of Greece. Pingeron's Aſtronomy, Lectures, and Tables and Trads. Simſon's Geometry, and Euclid. Smith's Moral Sentiments. Watt's Logick. Emerſon's Fluxions, and Mechanicks. Potter's Mathematicks. Stewart's Trads. Love's Surveying. Wild's Surveying. Sir Iſaac Newton's Univerſal Arithmetick. Youth's Inſtructions to trade and Religion. The Preceptor. Martin's Philoſophical Grammar. Salmon's Geographical Grammar. Tiſſot on Health. Tiſſot on Diſeaſes incident to ſedentary Perſons. 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Inſtructions for the violin and flute, the Beggars Opera, Love in a Village, and the Padlock, ſet to muſick, a great variety of other muſick by the beſt maſters, and blank muſick books.

Muſick ruling pens. *Cremona* and *Steiner's* VIOLINS, with beſt ſcrew bows. Silver baſſes and beſt *Roman* ſtrings. *German* and common flutes, of different ſizes. Surveyors inſtruments. Beſt temple ſpectacles, both green and plain. Common do. Reading glaſſes, for different ages. Beſt penknives. Pewter ink cheſts and ſtands. Edinburgh ink pots. Meſſage cards, plain, gilt, and mourning. Broad and narrow red tape. Ivory and aſh ſkin memorandum books. Morocco pocket books of all ſizes. Pounce and boxes. Ivory ſolders. Beſt waters, and *Dutch* ſealing wax. Slates and pencils. Sand boxes. Black and red lead pencils. Black and red ink powder. Red ink in vials. Gold leaf. Beſt *Dutch* quills and pens. *Hudſon's Bay* quills. Playing cards. Blank books, and alphabets, of all ſorts and ſizes. Paper of all ſorts and ſizes. Parchment, and every other kind of ſtationary.

Alſo the following MEDICINES, from Dr. *Bateman's* original wholeſale Warehouſe in *London*, which we will ſell at little more than prime coſt. Dr. *Bateman's* Pectoral Drops, Dr. *Hooper's* Female Pills, Dr. *Francesti's* Female Strengthening Elixir, *Swinſon's* Electuary for the Stone and Gravel, Dr. *Bolderſon's* never failing Worm Cakes, *Betton's* true and genuine Britiſh Oil, *Fryer's* Balſam, *Bateman's* Golden and Plain ſpirits of Scurvy Graſs, Dr. *Stoughton's* great Stomachick Elixir, the true *Daffy's* Elixir, Dr. *Badcock's* famous Purging Elixir, Dr. *Radcliffe's* famous Purging Elixir, *Squire's* Grand Elixir, Dr. *Anderſon's* famous *Scots* Pills, *Godfrey's* General Cordial, *Chaſe's* Balſamick Pills, right *French Hungary* water, fine Lavender water, Eau de Luce, *Fiſh's* Patent Ointment for the Itch and all Cutaneous Eruptions, Iſſue Plaiſters, which ſtick without ſilletting, and *Madden's* ſovereign Oil for Bruiſes and Strains.

*** We have a few of the late REVISAL of the LAWS, neatly bound, more than what were printed for the uſe of the country, to diſpoſe of. Alſo MERCHANTS, COUNTY COURT, and a variety of other uſeful BLANKS.

NORFOLK, *Nov.* 26, 1770.

A LARGE and complete aſſortment of GOODS, *ſuitable for the ſeaſon, is juſt imported by the ſubſcribers, and to be ſold at their ſtore (now opened) adjoining to the dwelling houſe of Mr.* Neil Jamieſon, *upon the moſt reaſonable terms, either by wholeſale or retail.*

HECTOR M'ALESTER & Co.

WILLIAMSBURG, *Nov.* 29, 1770.

IMPORTED by the ſubſcriber, in the *Neptune*, Captain *White*, an aſſortment of goods ſuitable for the ſeaſon, which he ordered before he left *London*, Mens, womens, and childrens worſted hoſe, *Engliſh* and *Dutch* blankets, womens and childrens quilted petticoats, cloth cloaks and cardinals, ſatin cloaks, worſted laſtrings, poplins, oſnabrug, bearſkin, bays, halfthicks, forreſt cloth, cottons, ſuperfine faſhionable broadcloths, womens quiltings, velvarets, winter gloves, muſlins, *Glouceſter* cheeſe, porter at 3 l. 5s. a hhd. *&c. &c.*

He continues to ſell for ready money only, and has no doubt that thoſe who have been pleaſed to apply at his ſtore, from his prices, are ſenſible of an advantage in that way of dealing.

1 ROBERT MILLER.

WILLIAMSBURG, *Nov.* 29, 1770.

WILLIAM BROWN, born at *Bently* in *Derbyſhire, Great Britain*, is ſuppoſed to have come into this colony, with a ſon and family, ſome time before the year 1716; he left ſeveral brothers and ſiſters in *England*. If he, or any of his deſcendants, are living, they may hear of ſomething to their advantage from

2 BEN. WALLER.

WILLIAMSBURG, *Nov.* 29, 1770.

ON *Tueſday* next, if fair, otherwiſe next fair day, at ten o'clock in the morning, at the late dwellinghouſe of *Nathaniel Walthoe*, Eſq; deceaſed, in this city, will be ſold great part of his perſonal eſtate, conſiſting of houſehold furniture, deſks, and a variety of other articles, on ſix months credit for all ſums above 40 s. bond and ſecurity being given. His valuable collection of *Engliſh*, *Latin*, *French*, and *Italian* BOOKS, are to be ſold altogether or ſeparately, at any time. Such as are lent out are deſired to be returned. The books themſelves, or a catalogue of them, may be ſeen by applying to

1 BEN. WALLER, Executor.

THE ſubſcriber, intending to go immediately to *Great Britain*, requeſts all perſons indebted to him to pay their reſpective balances to Mr. *Edward Johnſon* at *Rocky Ridge*, or to Mr. *John Edmondſon* at *Richmond*, who are properly authorized to receive and give acquittances for the ſame.

1 ANDREW EDMONDSTON.

MIDDLESEX, *Nov.* 23, 1770.

A SINGLE man that underſtands teaching of reading, writing, and arithmetick, and can come well recommended, will meet with good encouragement, by applying to WILLIAM CHURCHILL.

WANTED,

A PERSON capable of acting as a CLERK at *Recovery* furnace, near *Fredericksburg*.

ANTHONY THORNTON, jun.

Juſt imported from LONDON, *in the* TWO SISTERS, *Captain* TAYLOR, *and to be* SOLD *by the ſubſcriber, at the ſtore next door to the* POST OFFICE, *on the moſt reaſonable terms, for ready money, a very large and faſhionable aſſortment of* MILLINERY, *and other goods ſuitable for the ſeaſon*, viz.

VERY rich *China* tafetas of all colours, white lutſtring, fine chintz, printed cottons, linens and calicoes ell wide, book muſlin, ſtriped and thick ell wide do. long lawns, cambricks, clear lawns, plain ell wide and yard wide gauze, ſtriped, flowered, and ſprigged do. catgut, parſinet, new faſhioned tereſas, laced and bounced caſting handkerchiefs, checked gauze do. ſpotted, ſtriped, bordered and flowered do. yard wide black ſilk handkerchiefs, ſtriped bordered lawn do. beautiful flower cups, egrets, plumes with leaves, ſingle do. lace and gauze caps, faſhionable ſuits of gauze, genteel puffs, great variety of ribands, new faſhioned figured and plaited do. ſilver ſtomachers, ſhenell, riband, lace, and flowered do. beſt *Italian* noſegays and breaſt flowers, ſhenell in bunches, very nice hair rolls and tates, ſingle and double curls, woolpacks, paſte combs, plain, hollow backed, tortoiſhell, and horn do. paſte ſprigs, marcaſite and pearl birds, marcaſite and pearl half moons, very large *French* paſte ſprigs, do. ſtar pins and fancy, do. union and thiſtle ſprigs in cloſe work, do. in form of leaves, real garnet do. marcaſite, *&c.* a genteel aſſortment of necklaces, fine *French*, ſhot, and oval wax agates, jet and common do. oval and ſquare garnet do. pearl and ſet necklaces, do. earrings, bugles, fine ſtone buckles, *London* gilt do. in ſets, bath, pinchbeck, and common do. all ſizes of velvet collars, beaded do. all ſorts of wedding, ſecond mourning, and ivory fans, in caſes, common do. plain and bordered lawn aprons, ſtriped and minionet lawn do. Jacob's ladder, edgings, minionet and blond laces, floſs to work muſlin with, *Liſle* and other threads, needles, pins, tapes, ſilver thimbles, pinchbeck, ivory, and common do. earpicks, toothpicks, childrens blue caps and feathers, writing boys do. Ladies riding hats and feathers, gloves for do. cap wire, Gentlemens very fine furred hats, watch ſtrings, purſes, thread gloves, white ſilk, buckſkin, beaver, yellow waſh, and black ſhamois do. Ladies black and white ſilk gloves and mits, nice grained kid, coloured lamb, purple, and black ſhamois do. *Didbury's* and *Davis's* ſhoes, blue and white ſatin pumps, calimanco and leather ſhoes, boys and girls do. childrens black and blue bonnets, gloves for do. mens beſt ſpun ſilk hoſe, do. raw ſilk, marble do. fine worſted do. white, gray, and black do. for women, boys and girls do. plain and flowered ſatin cloaks and bonnets, *Denmark* hats, Gentlemen and Ladies *Morocco* pocket books and glaſſes, ivory combs, plain do. in caſes, tortoiſhell do. buffalo ſiding knives and forks, tortoiſhell penknives, common do. black and white ſatin quilts, double cambletts, flannels and chocks, *Denmark* and chipped hats, dreſſed in the neweſt faſhion, Gentlemens beſt hair pins and powder, plain and ſpangled gold loops, buttons, and bands, for hats, white and blue ſarcenet quilts, very good white ſheeting, ſtaves and hampers of oſnabrugs, ſewing ſilk of all colours, in grain, faſhionable broadcloths, trimmings ſuitable for do. *Bath* coating, *Iriſh* and other linens, ſciſſors, ſnuff boxes, toys, Queen's china, and confectionary of all ſorts, with a multiplicity of other articles too tedious to enumerate.

MARY DICKINSON.

N. B. She returns thoſe Gentlemen and Ladies who have honoured her with their cuſtom her moſt cordial thanks; and as the above will be ſold on lower terms than the former, ſhe hopes it will be an inducement for a continuance of their favours, which will be gratefully acknowledged by

Their very humble Servant.

M. D.

To be SOLD *at* Fredericksburg, *on the* 15*th of* December,

SEVENTY five choice SLAVES, ſeveral blackſmiths, carpenters, and houſe ſervants. The negroes conſiſt chiefly of young fellows, wenches, boys, and girls. Bond and ſecurity to be given to the adminiſtrators of *John Robinſon*, Eſq; *Joſeph Jones*, and *John Skinker*. Credit until *April* twelve month.

CHARLES CARTER.

To be SOLD *on the premiſes, on* Thurſday *the* 20*th of* December, *if fair, otherwiſe next fair day, to the higheſt bidder*,

A VERY valuable tract of the beſt kind of tobacco land, about 45 miles from *Peterſburg*, containing about 2000 acres, lying in the county of *Brunſwick*, near *Ingram's* ferry, on *Meherrin* river, and bounded on both ſides *Shining* creek, with all convenient houſes for cropping, ſufficient for fifteen hands, all of which have been built but a few years; alſo a very good new dwellinghouſe, with two rooms below and one above, planked above and below, and all convenient outhouſes for a family. Credit will be allowed until the 25th of *April* next, bond and ſufficient ſecurity being given; and a proper title will be made for the land at the day of ſale.

Alſo will be ſold, the ſame day, for ready money, ſeveral valuable SLAVES, and a large quantity of CORN and FODDER, with the ſtock of HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS, and PLANTATION UTENSILS.

2 STERLING THORNTON.

To be SOLD *at* Nanzattico, *on the* 20*th of* December,

NANZATTICO, which was particularly deſcribed ſome time ſince. I therefore think it unneceſſary to ſay more than that it has all advantages of an agreeable ſeat, fiſh, fowl, and a pleaſant ſituation, the land fine, and there is now growing between 300 and 400 acres of fine wheat. The terms will be made known at the ſale. Alſo a large quantity of genteel HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE of all ſorts, mohogany deſks, dreſſing tables, chairs, ſtaning beds, and many things too tedious to mention. Alſo a number of good PLOW HORSES, CATTLE, and HOGS, a quantity of CORN, and FODDER. Credit until the firſt of *October* next. Bond and ſecurity to be given to *Joſeph Jones*, and *John Skinker*.

CHARLES CARTER.

To be SOLD *for ready money, for the benefit of the enjurers, the following damaged goods, at* Weſt Point, *on* Saturday *the* 8*th of* December,

A COMPLETE CHAISE and HARNESS, *&c.* alſo a quantity of NAILS, and ſome other goods, imported in the ſchooner *Neptune*, *Benjamin Hammond* maſter.

1 JOHN G. FRAZER.

Just imported in the Two Sisters, *Captain* Taylor, *from* London, *and to be sold very cheap, for ready money, at the subscriber's store,*

A LARGE assortment of goods for the season, *viz.* Woollens, linens, cambricks, muslins, lawns, calicoes, damask table cloths, plain and striped lustrings, flowered satins, white, black, and crimson satin cloaks, womens white hats and bonnets, *India* and *English* persians, sarcenets, and modes, *India* dimities, wide and narrow figured dimities, variety of fashionable plain and figured ribands, millinery and jewellery, mens, womens, girls, and boys leather gloves, womens white and black silk gloves and mits, mens, womens, and childrens silk, cotton, thread, and worsted stockings, mens, womens, and boys beaver and felt hats, mens, womens, and childrens satin, calimanco, and leather, shoes and clogs, hyson and bohea tea, double and single refined sugar, best jar raisins and currants, best sallad and barbers oil, *French* olives, capers, anchovies, hartshorn shavings, mustard, rotten stone, salt petre, black pepper, copperas, powder and shot, playing cards, variety of *Latin* books and other books for children, variety of glass ware and Queen's china, &c.

JOHN CARTER.

To be SOLD *for ready money, on* Monday *the 3d of* December, *at* RICHMOND *town,*

A BALE of *Dutch* BLANKETS, imported in the *Lord Clive, Duncan Murray* master, for the benefit of the enfurers.

M'KEAND & BUCHANAN.

Just imported from LONDON, *in the* Two Sisters, *Captain* Taylor, *and to be sold at the subscriber's shop, three doors below the* Raleigh *tavern, in* Williamsburg,

A COMPLETE assortment of DRUGS and MEDICINES, chymical and galenical; also fine fat raisins, currants, prunes, white and brown sugar candies, barley sugar, orange chips, currenty candies, capers, olives, anchovies, flint filled oil, mustard, spices of all sorts, vermacelli, isinglass, sago, ivory syringes, court plaister, lint, tow, gold leaf, &c. &c. &c.

WILLIAM PARTEE.

To be SOLD *at publick auction, on* Friday *the 14th of* December, *for the benefit of the enfurers, at* Port Royal,

SUNDRY WOOLLENS, imported in the *Lord Clive, Duncan Murray* master, from *Hull*, consisting of trunk breeches, beaver netting, buckram, *Dutch* and other blankets, and cottons.

JAMES BOWIE, jun.

PRINCE GEORGE county, *Nov.* 23, 1770.

RUN away from the subscriber, on Monday the 19th instant, a negro fellow named FRANK, 5 feet 6 inches high, about 25 years old, of a yellow complexion, has a scar on his right cheek, and the fingers of one of his hands seem to be drawn up to knots. He carried away sundry clothes with him, viz. an old green half thread coat and breeches, a light blue and white mixed *Virginia* cloth coat, an old blue plains coat, an old and fillow jacket, a pair of gold buckskin breeches, and sundry other clothes. He has run away twice before, and always got on board of ships, either of this river or *James* river, and passed as a freeman. I understand he will attempt to get out of the country, if he possibly can; therefore I forewarn all masters of vessels, and others, from carrying or harbouring the said slave, or carrying him out of the country, at their peril. He has great influence among the *Indians*, at whose towns on *Roanoke* river, and may possibly be harboured about there. Any person that will bring the said slave to me, in prince George, shall have FIVE POUNDS reward, and if out of it, TEN POUNDS.

DAVID SCOTT.

STRAYED, or STOLEN, from the Subscriber, at Rocket's landing, on *James* river, the 3d of this instant (*November*) a middle sized bright bay mare, about fifteen hands high, with a small star in her forehead, a switch tail, her gall mouth rubbed, and her fore legs much rubbed by hobbling. Whoever brings the said mare to *New Kent* court-house shall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward; and if stolen, on conviction of the thief, FORTY SHILLINGS.

STEPHEN WILLIS.

TAKEN up, in *Amelia*, a light gray horse, 6 or 7 years old, 4 feet 7 or 8 inches high, with a hanging mane and switch tail, paces and trots, has a scar on his right side, near his back, had a bell on, is branded on the near shoulder D, and on the near buttock C. Pulled, and appraised to 4 l.

WILLIAM SOUTHALL.

IF *Elizabeth Holland*, daughter of *William Holland*, late of *James* river, in *Virginia*, shipwright, and of *Agnes* his wife (and which said *Elizabeth Holland* is supposed to have lived in or near *New York*, or on or near *James* river, or *York* town, in *Virginia*, in *North America*) be living, or (if dead) hath left any issue, she, or such issue, may hear of some thing greatly to her or their advantage, by applying to *Alexander Colden*, Esq; postmaster at *New York*, or *Mr. John Dixon*, postmaster at *Williamsburg*, in *Virginia*; and any person who knows of the death of the said *Elizabeth Holland*, when she died, and whether she left any and what issue, is requested to give information thereof to the said *Alexander Colden*, Esq; or *Mr. John Dixon*.

WHEREAS a letter, dated *Whitechurch* in *Shropshire, England, August* 22, 1770, directed to *Mr. Philip Key, Virginia*, signed by one of the same name, and giving an account of the family now living in that county, and neighbourhood, by being addressed to the town of *Hampton*, with a particular addition, fell into a person's hands there, he (as it may be of consequence to the parties) gives this notice to Mr. *Philip Key* that on applying to the printers of this paper, and paying for the advertisement, they will deliver to him the said letter.

To be RENTED,

THE HOUSES and LOTS at the *Capitol Landing* where I now live, which may be entered upon the first of *January*,

MATTHEW MOODY, jun.

Falls of POTOWMACK, *Nov.* 18, 1770.

ON the 10th of *December* next, at this place, if fair, otherwise next fair day, will be sold near one hundred hogsheads of prime TOBACCO, with a considerable quantity of WHEAT and CORN, for ready cash, bills of exchange, or merchants notes; likewise fifty head of SHEEP, with some very likely COLTS, a set of SMITH's TOOLS, a set of COOPER's do. and a considerable quantity of HOUSEHOLD furniture, consisting of a number of good FEATHER BEDS, TABLES, CHAIRS, and other necessaries, too tedious to mention.

The lands in *Prince William* and *Fauquier* will then be sold, to the highest bidders, viz. 499 acres on *Powell's* run, in *Prince William*, within eight miles of *Dumfries*, and a fine road. It is well watered, and abounds with white oak in such quantities that great advantages may be made from staves; besides, it is tolerable land, and affords at least one half meadow grounds, and the best range for stock of all kinds. Another tract adjoining, containing 150 acres, with a settlement, and much the same advantages in timber, meadow grounds, &c. well watered. Another tract near Captain *Davis's*, in the said county, on the branches of *Occoquan*, containing 400 acres; a plantation thereon that rented for 800 lb. of tobacco. Also a small tract in *Fauquier*, containing 91 acres, rich low grounds, lying on *Cedar* run, well timbered, and is very valuable. Any person inclinable to purchase any of those lands may depend on a bargain, and may have near three years credit, on giving bond and approved security.

At the same time and place I propose letting out, for a number of years, all those valuable improvements at the said falls, on the following reasonable terms. The merchant mills at the landing, with two pair of stones, and all conveniences, together with the room above, 252 feet long by 36, for cooling of flower and storing large quantities of wheat. The said mill are sufficient to manufacture, in the space of twelve months, 30,000 bushels into good merchantable flower, with proper attendance. The whole thereto belonging I would let out for the sum of 250 l. a year. The bakehouse with three ovens, all complete, with fine bread rooms, &c. and firing very convenient, for the sum of 40 l. a year. The stores, granaries, cellars, and counting rooms, well situated at the landing, and very convenient, where large vessels may meet with despatch, either to load or unload, and is well calculated for a considerable trade, to be let for 50 l. a year. The publick house, well finished, with ten fireplaces, good cellars, and very convenient to take in boarders, a fine *French* cook, and firewood sufficient, altogether, for 50 l. a year. A new gristmill for two pair of stones, just above on the same stream, built for the country custom, for the annual rent of 200 l. although the last year's toll from the country will exceed 800 l. at the lowest mills. A sawmill likewise, at the same place, and timber convenient, for 60 l. a year. The garden and gardens on the hill, with firewood, &c. for 20 l. a year.

The country gristmill and sawmill are not quite finished, but I shall readily discount for completing out of the rent, as likewise for any thing necessary to be done at or about the other improvements, so that there shall be no complaint on delivering up in good repair.

There are also about forty lots for sale, including the tobacco warehouses, which are very conveniently situated to the landing, and will be sold very reasonable as town land. Each lot is subject to a ground rent of 7 s. 6 d. sterling, payable to the Hon. *Philip Ludwell Lee*, Esq. A good title will be made to the purchasers, in fee.

The great advantages at the falls are so well known that there needs nothing more at present but just mentioning that it abounds with fine building stone, has five good water seats, and is a remarkable place for fishing the whole season through. It is the most convenient landing to the back country, and must be allowed to be one of the best places for the purchasing of wheat on *Potowmack*, as well as for shipping of all kinds of merchandize, being ten miles and a half nearer to the back trade than *Alexandria*.

I likewise give notice, and do earnestly request the meeting of all my creditors at the falls on the day appointed, that whatever balances I may fall short in payment they may depend on being well secured in a just compromise from the estate I hold in lands and slaves, the profits to be applied for that purpose; and those who have not adjusted and settled their accounts with me may depend to do it any time between this and the said 10th of *December*. I will attend, and be ready to give all the satisfaction in my power.

JOHN BALLENDINE.

For SALE, *on long credit (if required) in* Gloucester *county*, Kingston *parish*,

TWO hundred and fifty four acres of land lying on the head of *East* river, in said county; there are eight feet of water up to the landing, and fish and oysters in great plenty within 200 yards of the house. Upon it is a good dwelling-house, almost new, with two rooms and a passage, and two rooms above stairs, of brick chimnies, and underpinned with brick, a good kitchen, and other rebuilds, both with brick chimnies, and all other necessary outhouses, and is very well timbered, especially with fine pine, fit for the best of plank. Any person inclinable to purchase is desired to apply to the subscriber, living on the premises.

EDWARD HUGHES.

CABIN POINT, *Nov.* 22, 1770.

I INTEND to shut up my store here on the 11th day of *January* next, and in the mean time will sell what GOODS I have on hand (about 600 l. sterling worth) by wholesale or retail, at a very moderate advance, upon credit, and make a proper discount for ready money or commodities. I will give close attendance all the month of *February*, to settle my accounts; which I expect will be closed in that time, by bond or payment. All those who have open accounts with me, after that time, must blame themselves for the consequences.

WALTER PETER.

HENRICO, *Nov.* 12, 1770.

WHEREAS I bargained with a certain *Jeremiah Rufel*, of *Brunswick* county, some time last *March*, for a tract of land in *Mecklenburg* county, for which I paid him part of the purchase money down, and gave him three bonds, to be paid at different payments, for the following sums, *viz.* One bond for eighty pounds, another for thirty seven pounds ten shillings, and a third for the like sum of thirty seven pounds ten shillings, current money; which said three bonds, or either of them, I do hereby forewarn all persons from taking an assignment of, for I will not pay them, he having failed to comply with his positive agreement in building two dwellinghouses, and repairing a water grist mill, on the land I purchased of him.

MILES GATHRIGHT.

I HEREBY give notice that I propose conveying, and delivering up on oath all my estate, of every kind, to Messrs. *Carter Braxton, George Webb, Thomas Walker, Thomas Jefferson*, and *Jack Power*, as trustees, to be disposed of by them for the benefit of all my creditors, to whom I intend equal justice, though by mistake it was inserted in my last advertisement that regard could be had to the dignity of their demands, by which I only meant that as my estate was under mortgage the mortgagees should be first paid. I shall get a friend to wait on my creditors with the deed of trust, and a letter of license, which I hope they will all sign; for those that refuse will be postponed to the other creditors, and lose the benefit intended them by their humble servant,

BERNARD MOORE.

To be SOLD *by the subscriber in* Williamsburg, *next* Oyer *court*,

A VIRGINIA made lightsingle CHARIOT, to go with shafts or a pole, and harness for a pair of horses.

CHARLES TALIAFERRO.

YORK *Nov.* 22, 1770.

NOTICE is hereby given that a person will attend at *Amherst* court in *January* next to receive the money due for SLAVES sold at that place on the 12th of *December* 1769, and that he will be ready to deliver to each purchaser a deed of sale, with a warranty, upon payment of the money.

Just imported from London, *and to be* SOLD *by the subscriber, at his store, corner of* Church *street*, Norfolk, *by wholesale or retail, upon reasonable terms, for ready money or short credit,*

A COMPLETE assortment of *India* and *European* goods, consisting of allabrugs, *Irish* linens, haberdashery, shoes, cutlery, nails, *Rationary*, spices of all kinds, *Gloucester* and *Cheshire* cheese, soft and bottled pepper, raisins, currants, single and double refined sugar, with variety of other grocery articles, pewter, copper, and tin ware, worsted, thread, and silk hose, mens felt and castor hats, copper and japanned tea kettles, square and octagon japanned bread baskets, wickered plate baskets lined with tin, japanned *Roscow* waiters, japanned candlesticks and snuffers, pinking irons, mettinets wire pins, copper fish kettles, tea kettles, saucepans, round oval and flat steak ranges, green and white China ivory and buck horn handled table knives and forks, dessert do. of the same kinds, desk and pocket knife cases, paolong satin and persian petticoats of all colours, Ladies shades, figured silk cloaks, womens beaver and lace trimming for Ladies gowns, silk stomachers, bobbins, wide and narrow persians, padusoys, satins, damasks, taffeties, gauzes, poplins, silk crapes, sarcenets, womens silk mits and gloves, trolly lace, variety of plain and figured ribands, green handkerchiefs, cassimere edging, narrow and slipper blond lace, open and black catgut, green caps and dress caps of the newest fashion, fans, ribands, ruffs, blond stomachers and bows with flowers, complete suits of blond treble ruffles, tucker, ruffles, tippets, handkerchiefs, &c. with great variety of JEWELLERY &c. and other articles too tedious to mention.

F. A. DUBBER.

VIRGINIA, *sc.*

At a General Court held at the CAPITOL, November 5, 1770.

John Spear, and Matthias Spear, Executors, &c. of John Frederick Spear, deceased, plaintiffs. against *John Judie, late of Frederick county, Virginia, and Henry Gaspel, defendants.* } In Chancery.

THE defendant *John Judie* being beyond sea, and not having entered his appearance according to the rule of this court, on the motion of the plaintiffs by their counsel, it is ordered that the other defendants, who have the estate of the said John Judie in his hands, or in possession, do not pay the county rents, or dispose such effects, until the further order and decree of this court concerning the same; but that they do retain such effects, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy the demand of the plaintiffs, until the said plaintiffs shall have their giving security to the clerk of this court for the prosecution of their effects, in such manner, and to such purpose, as the court hereafter shall judge. And it is ordered that the said defendant John Judie, do appear here on the first day of the next court, and answer the bill of the plaintiffs; and that a copy of this order be within fifteen days, inserted in the *Virginia Gazette*, for two months successively; and published on some Lord's day, immediately after divine service, in the church of the parish of Frederick, in the county of Frederick; and be also posted up at the front door of the Capitol, in the city of Williamsburg.

JOHN WALLER.

THE decree for the sale of Mr. *Andrew Sterrit's* land, on *Pamunkey* river, having been reversed last General Court, your land is being sold at the time formerly advertised; therefore persons inclining to purchase may certainly be sold pursuant to the said decree, on *Tuesday* the 15th of *December* next, before the *Raleigh tavern* in Williamsburg. The tract contains, according to a late survey, 1440 acres, 400 of which are exceeding fine low grounds. There is on the plantation for a dwelling house, the land is generally very good, remarkable for producing fine grain, and lies within four miles of *Page's* warehouse. Twelve months credit will be allowed for one third of the purchase money, bond taken for another third, and three years for the residue, paying interest for the same; if the first bond, with good security, will be required; and the administrator, who has a right to dower in the land, will relinquish it to the purchaser, reserving only the liberty of living on his dower one year, if he shall think fit.

JOANNA SMITH, Executrix.

For LONDON,

THE ship BLAND, *Hugh Wylie* master, now lies at *Portsmouth*, and will certainly sail by the first of next month. As she has good accommodation for passengers, those who incline to go in her will please to signify their intention, by letter or otherwise, by the 25th instant, to the Captain, addressed to the care of *Mr. Robert Sheldon*, merchant in *Portsmouth*.

For FREIGHT, *to any part of* Europe *or the* West Indies,

THE brigantine FANNY, *William Westcott* master, now lying ready at *Norfolk*, burthen about 300 hhds. or 7000 bushels, well fitted, has made but one voyage, and has good accommodation for passengers. For terms apply to the said Captain, or to the subscriber; who has *Liverpool* SALT for sale.

WRIGHT WESTCOTT.

RICHMOND town, *Nov.* 14, 1770.

IMPORTED last *December*, in the *Industry*, Captain *Lowes*, two casks of HARDWARE, marked PH in a piece, No. 1 and 2, which have not come to hand. Whoever can inform where they may be had will oblige

THOMAS ADAMS.

POETS CORNER.

From MAROT.

UN doux *nenny* avec un doux ſourire
Eſt tant honne'te! Il le vous faut apprendre.
Quant eſt d' *oui*, ſi veniez à le dire,
D' avoir trop dit je vondrois vous reprendre.
Non que je ſois ennuyé d' entreprendre
D' avoir le prix dont le deſir me poing',
Mais je voudrois qu'en me le laiſſant prendre
Vous me diſiez: Non, tu ne l'auras point.

IMITATED.

A GENTLE *no*, ſaid with a ſmile,
Is worth a hundred *yeſſes*;
Not but I languiſh all the while,
To taſte your balmly kiſſes.
Then, when I ſeize the rapturous joy,
Pray ſeemingly reſiſt,
And, whilſt you willingly comply,
Cry out, I won't be kiſs'd.

WILLIAMSBURG, *Nov.* 15, 1770.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Mr. *James Blair*, late of *Prince George*, deceaſed, are deſired to come to an immediate ſettlement with the ſubſcriber, that he may be enabled to make ſpeedy proviſion for ſatisfying the ſeveral creditors; who are alſo requeſted to make known their reſpective demands, and how they ariſe, that the effects of the decedent may be diſtributed in a legal courſe by

JOHN BLAIR, jun. Executor.

HENRY FLEMING, *from the houſe of* Fiſher, Bragg, *and Company, wholeſale ironmongers and ſaddlers in* Whitehaven, *begs leave to acquaint the publick that he is juſt arrived at* Norfolk, *and has opened ſtore with a good aſſortment of the following kinds of goods*, viz.

HARDWARE of all kinds; nails and ſaddlery of their own manufacture; *Kendal* cottons, printed and checked ditto; bed rugs, boots, cords, and blankets; cordage; bearſkins, fearnoughts, broadcloths, plains, and trimmings complete; fuſtians; fillings; laces; *Iriſh* linens, and ſhirting; osnabrugs; handkerchiefs, copperplate, printed, and checked; halfthicks; kerſeys; half jerſeys; ſerges; nankeens; denims; ribands; fob puſſes; ſilk caps; ſilk knee garters; gloves of all kinds; gaiters; ſtockings of all kinds; ſhoes, chiefly women; ſewing ſilk and threads of all kinds; night caps; necklaces; ſnuff; glaſs; earthen ware; pipes; paper; ſtrings and ſkeleton wire; cart ware; hoſiery, tin, and pewter ware; grindſtones; guns; piſtols; and ſeveral other kinds of *European* goods, too tedious here to mention.

Where, at any time, upon the ſhorteſt notice (by letter, or otherwiſe), merchants and tradeſmen may be ſupplied, wholeſale, as low as in *England*, ſave only for expenſes attending the importation and commiſſion.

And to accommodate thoſe who may be pleaſed to favour them with their orders, they intend carrying on a manufactory of SADDLERY goods at *Norfolk*; where may be had every article in that branch, made in the neateſt and cheapeſt faſhion, and in every reſpect agreeable to fancy.

At the ſame time, they beg leave to thank their friends in this country for favours already conferred, and to aſſure them that all publick care will be taken to merit their continuance; and that ſuch a ſtock of HARDWARE, SADDLERY, &c. will be always ready at *Norfolk*, that, with general articles, they may be aſſured of an immediate ſupply.

HAMPTON, *Nov.* 10, 1770.

I HAVE opened TAVERN at the ſign of the *King's Arms*, in the well known houſe formerly occupied by *Mrs. Mary Selden*, where due care ſhall be taken to render their ſtay eaſy to thoſe who pleaſe to favour me with their cuſtom. WILLIAM M'CRA.

For SALE, *or to be* RENTED *for one year, and may be entered upon the firſt of* January *next*,

THE HOUSES and LOTS in *Toppahannock* where the ſubſcriber now lives. There are four half acre lots, in a ſquare, fronting the courthouſe, and paled in, on which there is a brick dwellinghouſe with three rooms above ſtairs and three below, and cellars under the whole, as likewiſe all neceſſary outhouſes for a family, with ſtables, chairhouſe, &c. On ſaid lots there is likewiſe a neat and convenient ſtorehouſe, a good warehouſe, and a ſtable for two horſes, at preſent rented for 5 l. If the lots, &c. are ſold, the ſtore, warehouſe, and ſtable, will be delivered up on the firſt of *January* 1772. For terms apply to WILLIAM WODDROP.

*** There is a good GRANARY, with a cellar under it, and ſtanding near the river, which may be rented.

To be SOLD, *on the premiſes, on* Thurſday *the 20th of* December *next, if fair, otherwiſe next fair day*,

ABOUT 500 acres of good LAND in *Kingſton* parish, *Gloucester* county, extending at leaſt two miles on *Leaf* river. On it is a very good dwellinghouſe with two brick chimnies, and all convenient outhouſes, alſo a ſtorehouſe underpinned with brick, which has a brick chimney and a good cellar, with apple orchards that produce 3000 gallons of cider, and a quarter with two brick chimnies. It is a remarkable place for fiſh and oyſters, there are ſeveral fine ſprings on the land, and it is well calculated for publick buſineſs, being in the middle of the pariſh, the warehouſes upon it, and navigable water to them. There are four other houſes at the warehouſes, and the whole rent for upwards of 40 l. a year. Alſo a tract adjoining the above, containing about 170 acres, more than one half of which is wood land. An undoubted title will be made to the purchaſers, the entail being regularly cut off by a writ of *Ad Quod Damnum*. It will be ſold altogether or in parcels, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers; and any perſon will be treated with before the day of ſale, and ſhown the land, by applying to

CALEB HUNLEY.

To be LET, *or* SOLD,

A LARGE dwellinghouſe, outhouſes, &c. in *York* town, oppoſite to the Hon. *Thomas Nelſon's*. For terms apply to Mr. *William Goſley*, on the premiſes.

AYLETT's, *October* 15, 1770.

WHEREAS Meſſ. *Murdochs, Donalds*, and company, of *Glaſgow*, have diſcontinued their trade at this place, I hereby give notice to all thoſe who have open accounts on my books to come and ſettle them; and in order to prevent diſputes hereafter, bonds will be required for their reſpective balances, for which purpoſe I will attend regularly at this place during the enſuing winter and ſpring, unleſs when the General and *Oyer* courts, or any of the neighbouring county courts, intervene. As perſonal application, to every one concerned, cannot be made, due regard, it is hoped, will be paid to this advertiſement. Thoſe who fail to ſettle in due time muſt blame themſelves for laying me under the neceſſity of bringing ſuits againſt them, without farther notice, as thoſe who ſhow the moſt readineſs to ſettle may expect the greateſt indulgence. The goods on hand will be ſold by wholeſale, on very reaſonable terms, which may be known by applying to.

Tf ARCHIBALD GOVAN.

*** Thoſe concerned are deſired to take notice that I have engaged Mr. *William Harris* to aſſiſt me in ſettling and collecting the debts due to Meſſ. *Murdochs, Donalds*, and company, at their ſtore at *Aylett's*. Any payments made to him will be good

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TAKEN up, in *Cumberland*, two mares. One is black, about 4 feet 8 inches high, has ſome ſaddle ſpots, and branded on the near buttock O; the other is white, about 4 feet 4 inches high, and branded on the near buttock IE. They had both roached manes, and bob tails, and were ſhod all fours. Poſted, and appraiſed, the black to 20 l. and the white to 5 l.

HENRY HARMAN.

TAKEN up, in *Auguſta*, a gray horſe 8 or 9 years old, branded on the near ſhoulder HF, and on the near buttock HF. JOHN FUDGE

TAKEN up, in *Buckingham*, four head of hogs, two of them white ſows, a black one, and a white barrow with a bob tail; the white ſows are wattled, and are all marked with a ſwallow fork and underkeel in the right ear. Poſted, and appraiſed to 40 s. THEODORICK WEBB.

TAKEN up, in *Halifax*, a bay ſtoned colt one year old laſt ſpring, neither dockt nor brended; alſo a dark bay mare about 4 feet 7 inches high, has two white ſtreaks on the right fore leg, a ſprig tail and hanging mane on the right ſide, and branded on the near ſhoulder G, part of it very dull. Poſted and appraiſed, the colt to 30 s. and the mare to 6 l.

JOHN OWEN.

TAKEN up, in *Buckingham*, a black horſe about 4 feet 3 inches high, with a ſtar in his forehead, a ſnip on his noſe, one hind foot white, has a ſhort dock, and is branded on the buttock X. Poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l.

ROBERT JONES.

TAKEN up, in *Cheſterfield*, a dark bay horſe 4 feet 4 or 5 inches high, near 18 years old, with a ſmall ſnip on his noſe, a very ſore back, a ſmall piece taken out of his left ear, branded on the near ſhoulder SB, and on the off buttock AB in a piece. Poſted, and appraiſed to 30 s.

GEORGE TRAYLOR.

TAKEN up, in *Fauquier*, a ſtrawberry roan horſe about 14 hands high, branded on the near ſhoulder ⅄, and on the near buttock I S L.

JOHN HOPPER, ſen.

TAKEN up, in *King George*, a bay mare with a hanging mane and ſwitch tail, has ſeveral ſaddle ſpots, paces in the bridle, and branded on the near ſide ⅄. Poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l. ELIZABETH MASSEY.

TAKEN up, in *Southampton*, a mealy ſorrel (or bright bay) mare, about 4 years old, 4 feet 7 or 8 inches high, has a ſtar in her forehead, her hind feet white, branded on the off ſhoulder and near buttock 6. Poſted, and appraiſed to 7 l.

JOHN MYRICK.

TAKEN up, in *Lunenburg*, a bay mare about 9 years old, about 4 feet 5 inches high, appears to have had a fiſtula, has a ſhort mane and tail, ſome ſaddle ſpots, paces ſlow, branded on the near ſhoulder with one dot, and on the near buttock with three dots. Poſted, and appraiſed to 4 l. 20 s.

DAVID JOHNSON.

TAKEN up, in *Hanover*, a cheſtnut ſorrel mare 4 feet 4 or 5 inches high, with a long mane and long bob tail, branded on the near ſhoulder W, and on the near buttock M. Poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l.

JOSEPH FOSTER.

TAKEN up, in *Halifax*, a gray mare 6 or 7 years old, 4 feet 4 or 5 inches high, branded on the near ſhoulder X, and on the off ſhoulder ⓓ. Poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l. BARTLET MILLAN.

TAKEN up, in *Dinwiddie*, a brindled ſteer, 5 or 6 years old, marked with a crop and ſwallow fork in each ear, and a half moon under the right. Poſted, and appraiſed to 40 s. JOHN HARPER.

TAKEN up, in *Amherſt*, two brindled ſteers, marked with a ſlit in each ear, 4 or 5 years old, and one of them with ſome remarkable white ſpots about his forehead. Poſted, and appraiſed to 4 l. 5 s. SAMUEL WOODS.

TAKEN up, in *Bedford*, a black horſe about 4 feet 4 inches high, with a hanging mane and ſprig tail, branded on the near ſhoulder L, and on the near buttock with the bottom of a woman's ſtirrup iron. Poſted, and appraiſed to 7 l.

SAMUEL WALKER.

HANOVER town, *Sept.* 26, 1770.

WHEREAS Meſſ. *Murdochs, Donalds*, and compay, of *Glaſgow*, have diſcontinued their trade at *Hanover* town, I hereby give notice to all thoſe who have open accounts on my books to come and ſettle their reſpective balances, for which purpoſe I will give conſtant attendance at this place during the enſuing winter and ſpring; the General and Oyer courts, and the adjoining county court days, excepted. To prevent future diſputes, bonds will be demanded of all who are indebted to the ſtore, and ſatisfaction made to thoſe who have balances in their favour. As it is impoſſible for me to make perſonal application to every one with whom I have buſineſs, it is expected thoſe concerned will pay ſtrict regard to this advertiſement. Such as fail to make ſettlements in the time limited may depend on their accounts being put in ſuit, without farther notice; and muſt blame themſelves for being put to expenſe and trouble, which I would gladly avoid. The houſes and lots in this place are to be diſpoſed of; and the goods on hand will be ſold by wholeſale, on very reaſonable terms, which may be known by applying to me.

Tf JOHN JOHNSON.

N. B. The ORDINARY and LOTS lately poſſeſſed by Mr. *William Clarke* are alſo to be ſold, and entered on immediately. There being at preſent no publick houſe kept in this place, the purchaſer will undoubtedly meet with good encouragement.

THIS is to forewarn all perſons from truſting the wife of the ſubſcriber, or to tranſact any buſineſs with her, on my account, as I will not pay any more debts of her contracting, nor allow her receipts to be good.

3m. THOMAS YOUNGHUSBAND.

WARWICK, *Nov.* 7, 1770.

WHEREAS I intend for *Great Britain* ſome time in the enſuing fall, I have thought proper to give this early intimation of my deſign to my cuſtomers, to enable them with more conveniency to come and ſettle their accounts, before my departure, by giving bond, or other ſpeciality, for their balances. The propriety of this meaſure is ſo obvious that I ſtatter myſelf it will be readily complied with. The buſineſs, after the firſt day of *September* next, will be carried on under the management of Mr. *James Fairly*.

6 JOHN EDALE.

WARWICK, *Nov.* 3, 1770.

THE ſubſcriber, intending to leave this colony ſoon, requeſts all thoſe indebted to the ſtore he keeps for Meſſ. *James* and *Robert Donald* and company of *Glaſgow*, to pay their reſpective balances; at leaſt to ſettle their accounts by bond or other ſpeciality, for he would willingly prevent diſputes with his ſucceſſor. The buſineſs at this ſtore, will be carried on to its uſual extent by Mrs *Simon Fraſer*, and their ſtores in *Prince Edward* and *Mecklenburg* will be continued as formerly.

6 ROBERT DONALD.

To be SOLD, *or* LEASED, *upon reaſonable terms*,

THREE lots in the town of *Peterſburg*, viz. One lot where *Francis Hewſon* formerly lived (a fine dry ſituation, and convenient to a good ſpring) on which is a genteel dwellinghouſe 36 feet by 18 with two brick chimnies, a fine dry cellar under the houſe, three rooms and a paſſage on the lower floor, and two rooms and a cloſet above, with five fireplaces, a kitchen and ſhop, under one roof, 40 feet by 20, with a brick chimney, alſo a good ſmokehouſe and dairy. One lot where *John Parker* formerly lived, on which is a good dwellinghouſe 28 feet ſquare with two brick chimnies, a cellar underpart of the houſe, four rooms upon the lower floor, and two rooms above, with five fireplaces. All the above houſes have been built but a few years. One lot oppoſite to the firſt, on which is a ſmall dwellinghouſe with a brick chimney. Alſo 300 ſtrips of very good land in *Dinwiddie* county, lying on *Hatcher's run*, adjoining the land of Col. *Theo Bolling*, on which is a very convenient place for a mill. For terms apply to *Edward Stabler*, merchant in *Peterſburg*, or to the ſubſcriber in *Charles City*.

6 LITTLEBERRY HARDYMAN.

To be SOLD, *purſuant to the laſt will and teſtament of* Edward Pye Chamberlayne, *deceaſed, at* Buckingham *courthouſe, on the ſecond* Monday *in* December, *being court day*,

A TRACT of LAND lying in the ſaid county, adjoining the land of Captain *Richard Chamberlayne*, and containing 300 acres. The plantation is in good order for working about eight hands, is of a fine ſoil for tobacco, and may be entered on immediately. Twelve months credit will be allowed, the purchaſers giving bond with approved ſecurity, to

REBECCA CHAMBERLAYNE.
5 PHILIP W. CLAIBORNE. } Executors.
RICHARD E. TAYLOR.

Juſt IMPORTED,

A LARGE and freſh aſſortment of goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon; and to be ſold by the ſubſcriber, at *Aylett's* warehouſe, on reaſonable terms.

Tf JAMES GOVAN.

HANOVER town, JULY 25, 1770.

THE ſubſcriber having diſcontinued the ſtore kept by him in this town, requeſts all thoſe who are indebted to him to ſettle their accounts immediately, by payment or otherwiſe. This advertiſement, together with the indulgence he has already given, will, he hopes, ſave farther application, as all thoſe who do not comply with it may expect to have their accounts put into an attorney's hands, without other notice, or reſpect of perſons. He has a quantity of goods, which he will ſell on reaſonable terms, for ready money or ſhort credit.

Tf JOHN SMITH.

For SALE,

A PLANTATION, ſituated in *Nanſemond* county, diſtance from *Suffolk* ſeven miles, from *Norfolk* twenty ſeven. It contains 179 acres, one third of which is not yet cleared, has on it a very good two ſtory brick houſe, with outhouſes proper. Any one inclining to purchaſe may know the terms by applying to *James Murdaugh* in *Nanſemond*, or *Bryan Croſbie* in *Portſmouth*. Tf

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